

# Barton County Democrat

## SUPPLEMENT.

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1889.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Put away the seal-skin garments,  
Lay aside the monkey skin;  
Store the peltry of the varmints,  
Where the moths cannot get in.  
Doff the garb of winter weather  
And the lighter clothing don;  
Get the window screens together—  
Summer days are coming on.

The brass mounted book agents will soon be abroad in the land.

The 4th of July is coming on. What are you going to do about it?

E. P. Gage, of Verbeck, lost three valuable mares last week. See his notice elsewhere.

Our supplement this week contains some prices made by the St. Louis store. Read carefully.

If you are thinking of taking the DEMOCRAT commence it now and start with the new serial story.

As warm weather approaches grass-awdowers flourish. A number of ladies of this city have gone east on a visit.

Jim Duncan had a sister and Ezra Davis an aunt living in Johnstown, Pa., whom their fear were swept away by the flood.

We beg to be permitted to inform those skeptical persons who are solicitous about the matter, that it does rain in Kansas.

Saturday night, Sunday and Monday the gentle rain fell upon the face of the earth in this locality, and all nature rejoiced thereat.

Saturday last Ewalt & Co. found a live tarantula in a bunch of bananas. The reptile was nearly as large as a saucer. It is now dead.

Lovey Murray just got back from an extended trip through different states, and is willing to confess that Barton county, and especially Blood Creek valley, is the garden-spot of the west.

Six days filled with selfishness, and one stuffed full of religious exercises, will make good Pharisees but poor Christians. Sunday is not a sponge with which to wipe out the sins of the week.

There are eight kinds of axes—broad axe, narrow axe, pick axe, law axe, legislative axe, apostolic axe, axe her dad and have her dad axe all his neighbors to subscribe for the BARTON COUNTY DEMOCRAT.

If any of our subscribers fail at any time to receive their DEMOCRAT they should call at the office and report and get a paper to replace the missing one. We are careful to make out the mail list, though sometimes errors will happen.

Supt. W. H. Grant is now to be found in his new office, which is quite comfortable.

Following are the newly elected officers of the Great Bend lodge of I. O. O. F. M. Caraway, N. G.; Robert A. Ewalt, V. G.; A. B. Miller, C. S.; G. W. Thatcher, P. S.; J. W. Brown, Treas.; R. C. Bailey, Representative to grand lodge.

E. C. Davis, of the south side, called Saturday and subscribed for two copies of the DEMOCRAT to send away for six months. He says his wheat and corn in this county could not be much nicer than it is, and he has 50 acres in Pawnee county from which he will harvest 1,000 bushels.

If you want to see a good, live county paper, call and get a sample copy of the DEMOCRAT. If you want to let your eastern friends know what a glorious country we have here, send them the DEMOCRAT for a year, six months, or four months—50 cents to \$1.50 thus invested will help to swell the general prosperity of our county.

While E. L. Hotchkiss, and deputy Sheriff Kline were out hunting for the valuable mare stolen from Mr. Hotchkiss, they captured a horse which had been stolen south of Garfield. They also caught the thief, a boy some sixteen years old, who had taken a job herding sheep. Mr. Hotchkiss has not, however, recovered his own valuable mare yet.

Just seventeen years ago last Monday, on June 3d, 1872, the first school in Barton county was commenced. J. R. Bickerdyke was the teacher. What wonderful changes in the school interests have transpired since that time! Prof. Bickerdyke, who is now school superintendent of Russell county, attended the high school opening in this city last Wednesday evening, and he was deeply impressed with the changes time had brought about.

### TIME CARDS.

**AT&P**  
On and after October 21, 1889, trains leave Great Bend as follows, viz:

GOING EAST.		
No. 2, Atlantic Ex.	5:51 p. m.	
No. 4, Eastern Ex.	7:08 a. m.	
GOING WEST.		
No. 1, California Ex.	10:02 a. m.	
No. 5, Denver and Utah Ex.	9:45 p. m.	
<b>K&amp;W</b>		
<b>LEAVE.</b>		
Express	10:15 a. m.	
<b>ARRIVE.</b>		
Express	5:20 p. m.	W. TORREY, Agent.
<b>Mo. P.</b>		
<b>ARRIVE.</b>		
St. Louis Express	11:55 p. m.	
Colorado Express	6:30 a. m.	
<b>DEPART.</b>		
St. Louis Express	4:40 a. m.	
Colorado Express	10:30 p. m.	
All trains daily.		
E. W. WAYNANT, Agent.		

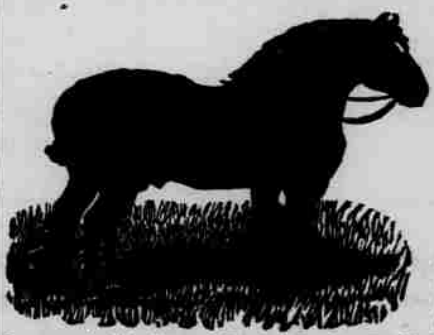
**Lodges.**

<b>GREAT BEND LODGE, NO. 15, A. F. &amp; A. M.</b>	
Meets every second and fourth Friday evening in each month.	
ELMER C. COLE, W. M.	
O. J. RICHARDS, Sec'y.	
<b>MT. NEBO Chapter, No. 56, R. A. M.</b>	
Meets first and third Fridays of each month.	
E. E. MOSES, O. J. RICHARDS, H. P. SECRETARY.	
<b>ST. OMER Commandery, K. T.</b>	
Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month.	
C. F. CULVER, E. C. R. F. PLEGER, Rec.	
<b>VALLEY LODGE, NO. 96, I. O. O. F.</b>	
Meets every Wednesday evening.	
R. C. BAILEY, N. G. W. P. COLES, Sec'y.	
<b>ZARAH ENCAMPMENT, NO. 35.</b>	
Meets every second and fourth Monday evening.	
R. T. EWALT, C. P. W. E. COATES, Sec'y.	
<b>CLARA BARTON REBECCA DEGREE LODGE NO. —</b>	
Meets every first and third Tuesday evening of each month.	
W. P. COLES, N. G. C. B. MORGAN, Sec'y.	
<b>PAP THOMAS POST, NO. 52, G. A. R.</b>	
Meets every first and third Saturday at G. A. R. Hall.	
D. N. HEISER, Post Commander.	
Ira D. Brougher, Adjutant.	
<b>WOODLAND LODGE No. 57 K. of C.</b>	
Meets Thursday of each week.	
Ge. J. Spencer, C. C. J. R. BROWN, K. of R. S.	
<b>GREAT BEND DIVISION No. 27, U. R. K. of P.</b>	
Meets Wednesday night of each week.	
E. L. CHAPMAN, S. K. C. R. C. GALLEY, S. K. K.	
<b>A. O. U. W.</b>	
Meets at Odd Fellows Hall every Tuesday evening.	
E. P. SMITH, M. W. A. J. BUCKLAND, Rec.	

**City Officers.**

Mayor—O. B. Wilson.
<b>COUNCILMEN.</b>
First Ward—W. E. Harper, John Langham.
Second Ward—C. L. MOSES, W. B. CORNELL.
Third Ward—G. H. HULME, C. B. GILLIS.
Fourth Ward—Chas. Chamberlin, C. Q. Newcomb.
Treasurer—O. J. Richards.

## Thoroughbred Stallions.



**BLACK JIM.**—Will stand the season commencing April 1, 1889, and ending July 1st, at my farm, formerly owned by Chas. E. Matson, 7 miles north and 4 miles west of Great Bend, 5 miles south-west of Hoisington, and 2½ miles south of Bold. Will serve mares at \$10 to insure colts to stand up and suck—money due when facts are ascertained. Service money due when the mare is parted with or removed from the county. Care taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

Description and pedigree: Black Jim was foaled in 1881; is 16½ hands high, weighs 1,400 lbs., fine style and good action, and is a number one breeder. He was sired by Ohio Boy, and by imported Norman horse Snap; dam full blood Bellfounder mare; his dam was sired by Norman Tom; he by Rex Road's imported Norman horse Rothy; dam, Cub Bear and Newman, his grand dam was sired by Old Frank, he by Gray Eagle, he by McKinney's roan Jim Polk; he by Old Archie; he by Old Trim; he by Old Whip, of Kentucky; he by Old Frank, dammed by Leviathan; she by imported Whip from Kentucky; she by Old Waxey; she by imported Davey Crockett; his dam by Beck.

**BULLDOG DICK.**—Is black, 16½ hands high, 3 years old in May; weighs 1,300 lbs., heavy mane and tail, well formed body, full chest, strong loins and hips, heavy stifles, flat, cordy legs, good feet and good disposition. Terms, \$12 to insure colts to stand up and suck.

**YOUNG KING.**—Is a black, 2-year-old first of May; is of the same dam as Black Jim; sired by King of Scotland; is the sire of Bulldog Dick and Young King, Clondale horse. Terms, \$12.

**BLACK WARRIOR.** the celebrated Jack.—Weighs 800 lbs., 14½ hands high, will stand at the same place; will serve mares at \$12. Warrior was sired by Honest John, he was a Spanish Jack; his dam was a Maltese Jennet.

John W. Feaster.